



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Please extend the period for responding to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2002 by three months so that the time for responding expired on December 20, 2002. The extension fee of \$930.00 is submitted herewith. Should the remittance be missing or should a greater or lesser fee be required, please charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 22-0261.

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